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We will offer all the new things in summer Dress goods at about one-half the regular price. These goods, of course, have to be seen to be appreciated.

If we used all the space in this paper we could not begin to tell you all the bargains we have to offer. Come early and get choice selections.

Best calico at 4-cents a yard. What do you think of it?

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LEVEL GREEN

While catching flies on "Tangle Foot" paper this morning upon my bed I called to mind the quotation: "Nothing was made in vain." There may be a wise--a real necessity for everything that creeps the earth, flies the air or swims the waters, but I think we would have had a world, and a great deal more pleasant world to live in too, had the flies, mosquitoes, fleas, bed-bugs--O, stop, bed-bugs--been left off. Of all beasts, birds, reptiles, insects that live and move upon earth, nothing can get in his work so effectual as he can, the bite of the mosquito, the wriggle of the flea, the stab of the tick, the sting of the adder or the bite of a serpent are harmless when compared with the wounds inflicted by the bug, saying nothing of the aroma thrown off when you squeeze or mash him. The scent of the polecat or skunk is like a sweet smelling savor compared to his bugship. He is a slow traveler but he always gets there in due time. As the poet said, that had been worried by countless multitudes of these all night:

"The June bug hath a gauzy wing.
The lightning bug hath flame,
The bed bug has no wings at all,
But he gets there all the same."

Yes, he gets there all the same and he gets in his work rapidly and scientifically. I have thought that when Moses and Aaron were plaguing Pharaoh that had they ever once introduced the bed bug the old King would have wilted at once, but I suppose the bug is of later invention and will soon form a pest trust. Farewell then to the more insignificant species.

A nabor of ours is trying to make a cross between his bees and lightning bugs so they will work day and night and enable him to form a honey trust.--Corn is growing as fast as was ever known in the history of Possum Holler. Springs, creeks and ponds are lower than they were ever known here at this season before.--R. B. Hatcher, David Hamlin and others that attended the U. C. V. at the city, report that they had the great time of their lives. No one of them regretted having fought for the "Lost Cause," and all seem satisfied with the results of the war, and heartily rejoice at the thoughts of a reunited country.--Sam Brown, City Attorney of McAlister, I. T., after spending to days pleasantly with former friends and homefolks, started for his home Monday. He and his Kentucky colony seem to be well suited with the Territory.--George Owens, who has been making so valiant a fight for life and suffering so intently, is still bravely facing all obstacles and we hope will pull through victoriously.--Jack Towery is still battling away with catarrh and a complication of other kindred troubles. But little change in his condition either for better or worse.--There was a well attended octogenarian birth day dinner at "Uncle" Smithy Renner's residence Sunday on Skeggs creek, in honor of Uncle Smith, who had just rounded up his four score years. He is today a living violation of our hygienic laws. He wears homespun janes all summer, sleeps with doors tightly closed and windows down and a fire burning in the old chimney fireplace from the first of August to the thirty-first of July, year in and year out and not one inch of ventilation otherwise in his bedroom.--The Methodist had a rousing meeting at the Chapel Sunday.--The funeral sermon of Rev. Larkin Robins and his son, Calvin, was preached by Rev. Smith. I wish I could attend church as I once did and hear the preacher explain matters his way. It has always been strange, very strange indeed, that they all have a different way of seeing and explaining the straight and narrow way to Adam's lost race. The Campbellites, seven or eight kinds of Baptists, three sorts Presbyterians, four or five kinds of Methodists--all see it and explain it his own way, and each has his followers, who only are right.--Mrs. Araminta McMullin and her son A. J., and J. J. DeBord and better half and son Samuel, broke bread and supped with us Sunday as I was preparing or threatening to migrate East. They gave me the right hand of congratulation and asked that the "Lord be with you till we meet again." I hope their prayers will be fully answered. What is prayer?

BUCK VARNON.

WHOOPIING COUGH IN JAMAICA.
Mr. J. Rily Bennett, a chemist of Brown's Town, Jamaica, West India Islands, writes: "I cannot speak too highly of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It has proved itself to be the best remedy for whooping cough, which is prevalent on this end of the globe. It has never failed to relieve in any case where I have recommended it, and grateful mothers, after using it, are daily thanking me for advising them." This remedy is sold by all druggists.

CRAB ORCHARD

Several went from here to attend the Confederate reunion. Sad to say, one of our best citizens, G. W. DeBord, was brought home a corpse, and will be buried here today by the Masonic order, of which he was a member.--There will be two weddings here today. The happy parties are Mr. W. F. Monk and Miss Jean Dick; M. M. Couder and Miss Exie Reynolds. We wish them happiness, long life and prosperity.--Walter Spangler, who went last fall to St. Louis, from there to Texas, arrived home last Friday.

W. T. Holdam and family returned to their home last week, after spending eight months in Chandlersville, Ohio, with Mrs. Holdam's brother.--Mrs. Fannie Donnelly, of B. C. Canada, is visiting her sister, Mrs. M. Gamely. The meeting was greatly enjoyed by both, as they are two aged sisters who had not met for fifteen years.--We are having a great deal of rain, fine growing weather, especially for weeds.--G. H. Patten and J. R. Cook went to Bee Lick today.--Mrs. Lela Duke and little Master Bennie, are visiting in Scottsville.--Mrs. Hannah Stega is visiting friends in Indianapolis and Kansas City.--H. D. Campbell and family, who recently went to Los Angeles, Cal., have returned to Crab Orchard.--Mrs. M. E. Fish is visiting her daughter, in Knoxville, Tenn.--Quite a crowd of young folks, and several old ones, attended the hop at Dripping Springs Friday night.

QUALITY vs. QUANTITY.

Hard muscles and strong body do not depend on the quantity of food you eat, but on its perfect digestion and proper assimilation. When you take Kodol Dyspepsia Cure your system gets all the nourishment out of all the food you eat. It digests what you eat regardless of the condition of the stomach and conveys the nutrient properties to the blood and tissues. This builds up and strengthens the entire system, overcomes and cures indigestion, dyspepsia, belching, sour stomach, etc. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure for what is sometimes called America's national disease--dyspepsia--is destined to eventually work a wonderful and lasting benefit to sufferers from this distressing and mind harassing condition. Sold by Mt. Vernon Drug Co.

TO LOUISVILLE.--The L. & N. will sell tickets to Louisville July 30 and 31, for \$4.12 round trip, account of the Annual Convention National Association of Stationary Engineers.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals the lung

A census of the Philippine islands has been completed, showing the population to be 7,635,426. Wild tribes form about nine per cent of the entire population. More than one-half of the people can neither read nor write in any language; only eleven per cent. of those attending the public schools understand the English language. There has been an increase of one hundred per cent. in fourteen months in the number of children attending the public schools.

CUBAN DIARRHOEA.

U. S. soldiers who served in Cuba during the Spanish war know what this disease is, and that ordinary remedies have little more effect than so much water. Cuban diarrhoea is almost as severe and dangerous as a mild attack of cholera. There is one remedy, however, that can always be depended upon as will be seen by the following certificate from Mrs. Minnie Jacobs, of Houston, Texas: "I hereby certify that Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy cured my husband of a severe attack of Cuban diarrhoea, which he brought home from Cuba. We had several doctors but they did him no good. One bottle of this remedy cured him, as our neighbors will testify. I thank God for so valuable a medicine." Sold by all druggists.

Two hundred leading physicians at a conference in Washington have decided to inaugurate an attack on tuberculosis from all quarters. The sessions were conducted in two sections one dealing with the sociological and clinical phases of the disease and the other with climatological conditions. The public will be interested in due time through an organized bureau of publicity.

Hump Back

SCOTT'S EMULSION won't make a hump back straight, neither will it make a short leg long, but it feeds soft bone and heals diseased bone and is among the few genuine means of recovery in rickets and bone consumption. Send for free sample. SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, 409-415 Pearl Street, New York. 50c. and \$1.00; all druggists.

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Silk Chiffons	25c. per yd.	Ladies Vests	10c. to 15c. each.
Mohair Lusters	20c. " "	Men's Underwear	45c. per suit.
Nice Suits	15c. " "	Ladies Underskirts in Black	
Organdies, all colors	10c. " "	and White	75c. to \$1.25.
Canvass Back Ducks, all colors	10c. " "		
Nice Dress Lawns	5c to 7 1/2c. " "		
SHOES		Nice Line Line Ladies Dress Skirts in Black, Brown and Gray at	
1 Lot 100 pairs Children Shoes in Blacks and Tans, sizes, 9 to 12, at	65c. per pr.	Lot Men and Boy's Straw Hats	
1 Lot 100 pairs Misses Shoes, in Tans and Blacks, sizes, 13 to 2 at	75c. per pr.	Children's Sailors	
Men's Heavy Shoes at	95c. " "	Do not fail to call and buy something off our 10c. counter of Glass-ware.	
1 Lot 75 pairs Men's Fine Shoes	95c. " "	Straw Matting, jointless	
Men's Shoes in Tans, Blacks, Patent Leather and Vics at	\$2 to \$3.50 per pr.	Straw Matting, in fine carpet styles, Blue, Red and Green at	
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Ladies Slippers at	75c. to \$1.75 per pr.	Good Drop-Head Sewing Machine, 5 year guarantee at	
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E. L. FRENCH WRITES FROM THE PHILIPPINES.

Malabang, P. I., May 15, 1905.

As we have reached our new home and are about settled down, we write you again.

We left Manila on the morning of May the seventh for Zamboanga, Mindanao, arrived in this above named city on the morning of the 9th. After getting our orders from Gen. Wood in Zamboanga, we left there on the evening of the 9th for this place, arriving here in the forenoon of May 10th. There was regimental headquarters, the band and five company's put off here. The "Buford" was pulling out up the coast for another town with the rest of the regiment on the morning of the 11th and before she was out of sight, she ran a reef and is still on the rock. They sent a cablegram to Manila for another vessel to come to pull her off.

The troops that were on the Buford when she stuck were brought back to this place in life boats. The officers of the Buford think she is ruined.

In getting into the city of Manila we had to sail clear around the northern part of Luzon into the China sea. We sailed all along down the west coast of Luzon into Manila. I always thought that Manila was on the East coast of Luzon until I started over here. There are some of the old Spanish vessels to be seen in Manila Bay yet that Dewey sank. Were on the sea just exactly forty days and I never saw nicer weather in my life, no time. We had two or three bad days in the whole trip. We are all living in nipa shacks now. They are houses built of bamboo poles and covered with a kind of big grass. Of course they would not be any good at all in a cold country but they are all right here.

There are all kinds of tropical fruits growing in our yard. Bananas, coconuts, mangoes, and a number of others that I have not learned the names of them yet. There is nothing to this town, but four or five white men in it except the Soldiers. No white women at all except the officer's wives and their servants.

There is nothing sure about how long we will remain at this post. So always address letters to Manila, P. I., Co. I, 19th Inf.

I remain yours,
E. L. F.

Bilious Bill the sleepy head, Dearly loved to lay a-bed; Couldn't wake him if you shook him When his slumbers overtook him. Suddenly he started waking. Every morn when day was breaking.

What's this magis necromancer? EARLY RISERS that's the answer.

The Famous Little Pills "Early Risers" cure constipation, sick headache, biliousness, etc., by their tonic effect on the liver. They never gripe or sicken, but impart early rising energy. Good for children and adults. Sold by Mt. Vernon Drug Co.

John Collier, Harvey Smith and Will Jackson, all negroes, were hanged on one scaffold at Decatur, Ala. The first two were convicted of murder and rape and the last named of the murder of a police officer.

A BAD SCARE.

Some day you will get a bad scare, when you feel a pain in your bowels, and fear appendicitis. Safety lies in Dr. King's New Life Pills. A sure cure, for all bowel and stomach diseases, such as headache, biliousness; costiveness, etc. Guaranteed at all druggists, only 25c. Try them.

RESOLUTIONS ON THE DEATH OF P. W. CLARK.

Ashland Lodge, No. 640, F. & A. M. Mt. Vernon, Ky., June 20, 1905.

WHEREAS: The Supreme Architect of the universe in His infinite wisdom did on June 16, 1905, call from labor here on earth to refreshments and rest in the great beyond, our beloved brother P. W. Clark, and;

WHEREAS: Ashland Lodge, No. 640, F. & A. M. has lost one of its most devoted members, the community a good citizen and the family a kind and affectionate husband and father, therefore be it;

RESOLVED: 1st. That the members of this Lodge extend their heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved family in their great distress, believing that our loss is his gain;

2nd. That the members of Ashland Lodge, wear the badge of mourning for thirty days; that a copy of these resolutions be spread on the minutes of this Lodge, a copy sent to the Mt. Vernon Signal for publication and a copy handed to the bereaved family.

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Some one has said that "scandal is what you tell to every one before breathing a word of it to the person who it is about." And it might be added, says the Ohio Penitentiary News, that the gossip is the one who does the telling. Scandal and gossip are two things for which His Satanic Majesty should be thankful. They promote more hell on earth than all the infidel and agnostics combined, more than all the saloons and rumshops in the land; and they are as liable to be found kneeling at the church altar as anywhere else. A good many people cultivate a habit of talking just to be entertaining, and a shallow brain and a willing tongue are gifts that should be spurned.—Ex.

LOUISVILLE left nothing undone to make the visit of the old Confederate soldiers a pleasant one, and bore evidence that Kentuckians are the most hospitable people on earth.

POLITICS AND POLITICIANS

A Washington dispatch says: "Treasury Department officials are expressing surprise that James Denton Collector of Internal Revenue for the Eighth Kentucky District, does not send in his resignation. Last spring at a conference at the White House, attended by Commissioner Yerkes, Congressman Edwards and Richard P. Ernst and Congressman Bennett, the President said he would appoint J. Sherman Cooper as Collector to succeed Mr. Denton, the change to be made by July 1. It was supposed that Mr. Denton would send in his resignation, but he has not done so. At the Treasury Department it is stated that he has not yet been asked for his resignation, but probably will be within a few days if he does not forward it. This is in accordance with the usual program when a change is to be made.

NEWS ITEMS

Japanese war loans amounting to 130,000,000 have been floated in the United States, with better terms for each new issue of bonds.

Commander Peary's new vessel in which he expects to reach the north pole has been successfully launched and equipped and has been named "Roosevelt."

Superintendent Hendricks, of the Insurance Department of the State of New York, has submitted what he calls a "preliminary report" on the affairs of the Equitable Life Assurance Society. In this report he criticizes the voting trust arrangement and says nothing except a complete mutualization of the society can bring complete relief. The report contains many sharp criticisms of the society's officers and policies.

It is announced in St. Petersburg that M. Nelidoff, the Russian Ambassador to Paris, has been appointed one of Russia's peace plenipotentiaries. Efforts are being made in Washington to open negotiations between the belligerents for an armistice, but neither Japan nor Russia seems disposed to take the initiative in asking for a cessation of hostilities. The indications are that a big battle is imminent in Manchuria, and unless a truce can be speedily arranged the forces of Oyama and Linkevitch will soon be engaged in a deadly conflict.

The Russian Government has recalled Count Cassini, its ambassador to the United States, and Baron Rosen has been appointed to take his place. Cassini had held the American post for seven years and is now to be transferred to the Spanish court at Madrid. He is said to be a representative of the radical war party in Russia, and has failed in creating a friendly feeling for his nation in the United States. Baron Rosen is known as a strong anti-war man, and it is thought will be able to do more for his country than his predecessor in the matter of early negotiations looking to peace.

The tension in diplomatic relations between Germany and France which alarmists reports have had on the eve of war over the Moroccan question is reported to have been somewhat relieved, and a conference between the German Ambassador and the French Premier showed that no rupture had occurred. It is said that France is willing, in the interest of peace, to agree to an international conference, provided Germany will give guarantees that such agreement will not be considered as an abandonment of any rights France now holds. No uneasiness over the situation is felt in Washington. There is said to be a feeling nearly approaching a desire for war in German military circles. The French people manifest an excitement over the situation.

It has been definitely decided that Washington will be the scene of the peace negotiations between Russia and Japan. The Japanese Government preferred Chefoo as a meeting place, while Russia preferred a meeting in any European capital, and it was then agreed that Washington should be the point of negotiating. An official statement to this effect was issued from the White House. It is expected that within a few days the names of the plenipotentiaries will be made public and the date for the conference selected. The middle of August is mentioned as the time likely to be selected. Pressure is being brought to bear on Japan to induce her to fix the sum she will demand as an indemnity for the pending war at as low a figure in cash as is possible under the circumstances.

The City of Mexico has been doing business for about 380 years. There is probably no capital of the civilized world that during the same period has been the center of more wars of conquest or revolution, and yet, through all the troublesome days of these centuries, this city has maintained its financial reputation free from blemish. Kings have come and gone, victory succeeded victory, emperors have flourished for a brief regime, and rival factions have striven for the presidency, loans have been forced by one general government to be repudiated by the next; bonds were issued during the French occupation that the republic would not assume, but during all the strife the ancient capital of the Aztecs cherished its financial integrity as its choicest jewel, and today rejoices in the record that not once in all its long history has a debt been repudiated.

CONCENTRATION OF DEVELOPMENT FORCES IN WEST VIRGINIA, KENTUCKY AND VIRGINIA.

In the great central coal and timber region embracing West Virginia and part of Kentucky and Southwest Virginia are centering the most gigantic development forces of America. In that section there is an eager scramble by the leading financiers and the great industrial corporations to secure control of large properties and to still further develop properties already owned. Railroad construction, coal mining, lumber operations and vast industrial movements generally are under way.

In order to present to the world a comprehensive story of the resources of that territory and of the forces which are now combining to make that region one of the greatest industrial centers of the world, the Manufacturers' Record, of Baltimore, will for the next few months have its special correspondent, Mr. Albert Phenix, make a careful and comprehensive study of its natural advantages, its wealth of coal and timber and its railroad development, and in a series of broad and comprehensive letters, which will be given the widest possible circulation, Mr. Phenix will tell the story of the coal and iron and timber and railroad development of West Virginia, Virginia and Kentucky.

In order to further this work and to secure all possible data which may add to its value, the Manufacturers' Record invites suggestions regarding matters of special interest covering the resources and progress of this section and the prospects of large developments in the future.

IN THE STATE

Powerful efforts will be made to secure for Louisville the next triennial convention of the International Sunday-school Association.

The closing spectacular feature of the fifteenth annual reunion of the United Confederate Veterans, was, perhaps, the greatest parade since the veterans have been holding reunions. Nearly all of Louisville was out to see it and to cheer the glorious remnants of the South's magnificent army. Gen. Lee, Commander of the U. C. V. through Adj. Gen. Mickle, issued a formal order thanking the people of Louisville for the splendid hospitality extended them.

B. F. French cross-examined Mrs. James B. Marcum at the Hargis-French hearing at Jackson. Mrs. Marcum refused to answer French's questions until forced to do so by the court. She said to French: "I don't care to be questioned by you, you murdering dog." The court refused a request of witnesses that a guard be appointed to protect them. Judge Hargis took occasion to denounce Mose Feltner as a violator of every section of the criminal code.

Those Portland people who objected to Uncle Joe rubbing ice on his head evidently do not know all the prerogatives of the Speaker of the House.—Baltimore Sun.

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LAND, STOCK AND CROP

The sharp advance in corn the past week is making the fellow who has a surplus to sell, feel good. How the fellow feels who has to buy, is another question. Corn is now quoted in the local market at \$2. J. Harvey Hunt sold to T. C. Robinson 3,600 bushels of grass seed at 25 cents. This sale was made early when there was promise of a record-breaking crop.—Lexington Observer.

What might be called the "Romance of an Ear of Corn," says the Washington correspondent of the Cincinnati Commercial Tribune, is the story of the discovery of the earlier and most delicious sweet-corn in the whole world, known as a white Mexican variety. Iowa has the credit of this notable discovery and S. A. Howe, of Dodge is the Christopher Columbus of this new world in agriculture. A part of the original ear from which the white Mexican corn has been propagated is still in the possession of a Sioux City nursery, which has brought the marvelous corn to the point of perfection which has won the unrestrained approval of the United States Government. But a few months ago Secretary of Agriculture Wilson sent Prof. Tracy, one of the experts of the department to Sioux City to investigate the claims made for the white Mexican. He was convinced "The Government had been experimenting for a score of years," said he, "to produce a corn of this character—early yet really sweet. I have no hesitation in pronouncing this the greatest discovery made in sweet-corn culture in 25 years." Prof. Tracy backed his enthusiastic approval of the corn by ordering 400 bushels for use at Government experiment stations and for distribution. A seed expert of a big firm has traveled to Sioux City to examine into the virtues of the white Mexican. One thousand bushels was the order he left.

HUGE TASK.

It was a huge task, to undertake the cure of such a bad case of kidney disease, as that of C. F. Collier, of Cheorkee, Ia., but Electric Bitters did it. He writes: "My kidneys were so far gone, I could not sit on a chair without a cushion; and suffered from dreadful back-ache, headache, and depression. In Electric Bitters, however, I found a cure, and by them was restored to perfect health. I recommend this great tonic medicine to all with weak kidneys, liver or stomach. Guaranteed and sold by all druggists."

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RELIGIOUS

The annual Mountain Workers' Conference and Summer Bible School for Ministers, Sabbath School Missionaries and Bible readers of West Virginia, Kentucky, Tennessee and North Carolina, opened at Maryville, Tenn., June 20th. It will be in session eight days. Dr. McKibbin, of Cincinnati, is on the program.

BEST FOR THE BOWELS

If you haven't a regular, healthy movement of the bowels every day, you're ill or will be. Keep your bowels open, and be well. Force, in the shape of violent straining or pill taking, is dangerous. The smoothest, easiest, most perfect way of keeping the bowels clear and clean is to take



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KEEP YOUR BLOOD CLEAN
The grand old man of Spain is Don Jose Echegaray Elizaguirre. He has carried that name around with him for 70 years now, and should be favorably considered by the Carnegie hero-medal committee.—Denver Republican.

President Roosevelt has protested against a photograph showing him standing next to a young woman in a short skirt. What was the matter with 'em? Bowed or too skinny?—Chicago Journal.

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The undersigned having been restored to health by simple means, after suffering for several years with a severe lung affection, and that dread disease CONSUMPTION, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To those who desire it, he will cheerfully send (free of charge) a copy of the prescription used, which they will find a sure cure for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, CATARRH, BRONCHITIS and all throat and lung MALADIES. He hopes all sufferers will try his remedy, as it is invaluable. Those desiring the prescription which will cost them nothing, and may drive a blessing, will please address, **REV. EDWARD A. WILSON, Brooklyn, New York, Box 348-137.**

Amid the stir and bustle of real life and the debate of live issues comes a lone voice from the tombs in Ohio calling for a ship subsidy.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

FIRST BIG SHOW COMING.

Put your business cares aside for one day and make the advent of the Great Van Amburg Show a holiday. The only big show coming this year, coming on its special trains and will pitch its tents in Mt. Vernon on Tuesday, June 27. Don't fail to see the grand free street parade in the forenoon.

NO SECRET ABOUT IT.

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PERSONAL

Sheriff H. L. Tate is sick.
Sam Brown left Monday for his home in McAlister, I. T.

M. J. Miller, Jr., is suffering from a broken hand caused by a fall.

Dr. G. B. Lawrence has gone to Haden to be away until September.

Miss Lettice Caldwell, of London, is the guest of Mrs. G. M. Ballard.

McKenzie Brown will return today from the V. M. I., Lexington, Va.

Miss Mayme Woodruff, of Texas, is the guest of Mrs. John W. Brown.

Mrs. W. F. Champ, of Paint Lick, is visiting her sister, Mrs. S. N. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Fish are rejoicing over the arrival of a fine girl baby.

G. M. Ballard, J. A. Wood and D. G. Clark were in Richmond Wednesday.

Mrs. Cleo Brown and Miss Risse Williams spent Saturday in the city shopping.

Dr. M. Pennington has been suffering from an attack of malaria for several days.

Miss Margaret McClary came Wednesday and is the guest of Mrs. J. W. Brown.

Miss Maymie Ferguson, a teacher in the blind school Louisville, is at home for vacation.

Atty. C. C. Williams attended the meeting of the State Bar Association at Covington yesterday.

Robert, Ed and Claud Cox have taken time about for a day or two off on account of sickness this week.

Miss Dora Hatcher returned to her home near Level Green, after a month's visit to her brother at Artemus.

J. A. Oliver was up from Livingston Wednesday. Joe is still hopeful that Livingston will not remain so dead very long.

J. Fish, A. H. Hamlin and Joe Norton were among those who attended the Reunion in Louisville, whose names we failed to get last issue.

We understand that our good friend, E. M. Denny, who expected to visit old friends in Rockcastle this month, is very sick at his home in Verona, Mo.

Our good friend J. N. Brown left Monday night for Hot Springs, N. C., for his health. He was accompanied by his son, Thomas, who will remain with him as long as he stays. Attorney J. W. Brown went as far as Jellico with him.

Dr. Stephen W. Brown, now located at Commerce, Texas, who left this county some twenty odd years ago, will arrive here today to visit relatives and old friends. Dr. Brown is a brother of Dr. Jack Brown, whom everyone in the county remembers. He is also a brother of Mrs. Elizabeth Lawrence and Mrs. Susan Henderson. Dr. Brown was one of our leading physicians while living in Rockcastle. His many friends will welcome him to the old hills of his nativity.

LOCAL

Remember the Masonic Celebration at Brodhead to-morrow.

If you want to buy or sell Rockcastle real estate see the Rockcastle Real Estate Co.

If troubled with headache, dizziness or bad stomach, a box of Dr. S. C. Davis' Little Liver Pills will cure you.

Up-to-date furniture, suits, folding beds, iron beds, mattresses, springs, pillows, sideboards, bathtubs, tables, chairs, rockers, carpets, matting, rugs, druggists, wallpaper and everything kept in a first-class furniture store. We pay freight to your depot.

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Try a box of Dr. S. C. Davis' Little Liver Pills, they will do you good.

Smith & Fish will put up a grist mill, near their store on the Wildie road.

J. Fish has been appointed administrator of the estate of P. W. Clark, deceased.

Our merchants give the present week credit for being the dulllest week of the year.

Wednesday was the longest day in the year. The sun rose at 4:20 a. m. and set at 7:09 o'clock p. m.

The Henderson-Barre well in town limits, struck a big flow of water at depth of 95-feet, which had to be cased off before work could proceed.

FOURTH OF JULY RATES.—The L. & N. will sell tickets at one and one-third fare for round trip to all points on system, on July 1st to 4th, good until July 8th.

Lancaster holds the first fair of the season, July 13 and 14, being the dates. This is the first fair to be held in that city for several years, and a splendid time is in store for those who attend. The famous Saxton & Trost band will furnish the music.

Not many of our people have seen a fig tree with its fruit growing thereon. Mrs. James Maret, of this place has a three year old bush that is bearing. Go out and see it, oranges are also to be seen, green and ripening.

Mr. John Sayers and Miss Joan Craig, both of the Big Glades section, were married Thursday. They are two of the county's most promising young people and we trust that their union will be one of endless bliss and happiness.

Traffic on the Knoxville division of the L. & N. was delayed ten hours yesterday, on account of a wreck one-half mile east of Mt. Vernon, which occurred at an early hour yesterday morning. The wrecked train was a north bound double-header freight loaded principally with coke and coal. The wreck was caused by the pilot to the second engine dropping down, tearing up the track and piling up some eight or ten cars, and the engine in a ditch almost off the right-of-way. No one hurt.

In canning your fruits and vegetables use the "A. W." canning compound. Its pure and healthful, saves your canned or uncanned fruits, fruit juices and vegetables. Raw or cooked fruits; all retaining natural flavor. Corn and beans look and taste as though just from cob or vine. Certificate and book, full directions with 6 packets compound for \$1 by Mrs. M. M. Maret, agent, Mt. Vernon, Ky., who has used the compound during three years and fully recommends it.

TO THE MT. VERNON SIGNAL: Believing much good has come about on account of singing contest held at Union school house, we have decided to hold another the 5th Sunday in July, (30th day). Five classes have already promised to take part and we want at least that many more. We do trust that each Sunday school in the neighborhood will come and take part with us. You have no idea how it will stimulate the singing in your Sunday school.

We hope to hear from every school within the next 10 days. Each class will not be required to sing more than 8 songs. We can not give exact place of next meeting but it will be at or near Sayers' school house. Will give exact place of meeting through the Signal in a short time.

W. A. OWENS, JACOB ELDER, A. F. ALBRIGHT, GRANVILLE OWENS, head. Quail. Brodhead. Committes.

Arthur Dollins, alias George Hill, was arrested here Monday night and lodged in jail for horse stealing. On the night of the 13th Dollins stole the horse from a Mr. Rice, of near Richmond, Madison county, came here on the next day and made several efforts to sell the horse, but found no buyer. The following day the horse was sold to W. M. Bullock, of Hazel Patch, Laurel county, who gave him check for \$90. Dollins came to the Bank of Mt. Vernon to get it cashed, but failing to get anyone to identify him, although he offered \$10 to one party to go to the bank officials and state that he was Geo. Hill, the check was not cashed. His conduct in the bank led Cashier Richards to suspicion him, which fact he at once reported to the officers and in a very short time it was found that he was right man and was placed in jail. The horse was stolen in Madison, brought to Rockcastle for the purpose of selling and finally sold in Laurel, which county should have the prisoner is a question now before the authorities of this and Madison. Laurel having made no demand for him. The prisoner was arrested in Rockcastle.

LIVINGSTON

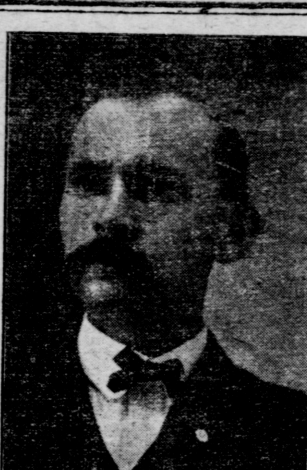
H. D. Magee is in LaFollette and Knoxville, this week.—John A. Mullins, Logan Salyers, Brack Graves and Henry Browning, of Corbin, spent Sunday with home-folks.—Will G. Mullins, of Knoxville, is visiting home-folks.—Nelson Griffin and wife, of Mareburg, and Mrs. Eugene Brown, of Stanford, are the guests of David Griffin and Mrs. John Mullins.—Dr. J. S. Cooper has moved his office from his residence into Bowman & Cockrell's building on Main Street.—Miss Helen Singleton, of this county is the guest of Mrs. J. E. Singleton.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mullins and baby, Dema Hilton, moved to Lebanon Junction Wednesday.—Mr. and Mrs. John Shearer moved to Paris the first of the week.—Mrs. J. B. Hayes returned from Corbin Monday, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Ed Quinn and baby Beulah.—Mrs. Hahala Carson is visiting relatives near Mt. Vernon.—Mrs. G. M. Ballard, of Mt. Vernon, was the guest of G. D. Cook and family and Mrs. W. W. Wright this week.—Misses Lida Cook and Mattie McFerron will spend a week sight seeing at Mammoth Cave.—Miss Cora Adams is in the post-office this week during the absence of Miss Lida Cook.—Little Ernia May Tubbs has been very sick this week.—Mr. and Mrs. Dave Downs have moved in the J. C. Hocker residence.—Mr. and Mrs. George Reynolds will move to Corbin this week.—Moving! moving! all the time, and we are going to move to the Eight Gables again.—Mr. Editor you will please correct a little mistake of the printer. Last week he had, my guests, served with champagne—not whiskey—in place of champagne.

Mr. and Mrs. John Woodall and children, of Crab Orchard, and Mrs. Woodall, of Mt. Vernon, spent Sunday with Mrs. Ed Woodall.—Mrs. Hugh Hagan and children returned from Newark, Ohio, the first of the week.—John R. Carter visited relatives in Nashville, Tenn., last week and spent Sunday with his family, here before returning to Lebanon Junction.—Lewis Elmore rode to Crab Orchard Monday, reaching there in time to take the evening train for home.—Mrs. Angie Salyers entertained a number of young folks Saturday, in honor of her niece, Georgia Maret. Those present were: Georgia Maret, Bertha Hicks, Ila Mullins, Ida Chewning, Willie Edith Tubbs, James and Willie Maret, Egbert and Roy Salyers and Charlie Tubbs. Refreshments were served.—Mrs. Ella Magee returned home from Louisville Friday. Mrs. Lee Webb, of Louisville, is visiting Mrs. Magee.—There will be services at the Christian church, Saturday evening, Sunday morning and evening. Welcome.—Geo. and David Griffin spent Sunday with their kinsman at Pine Hill.—Henry Brown and son, Walter, are at Maywood, guests of W. M. Fields and family.—Misses Lettie and Sophia Caldwell, of London, were the guests of Dr. J. S. and Mrs. Cooper Monday and Tuesday.—Mrs. J. S. Cooper is visiting in Cincinnati.—Master Willie Estell Moore of Paris, is with Mr. and Mrs. John Ireland.—Miss Julian Sawyer, of Millersburg, is the guest of Mrs. W. J. Childress.—Miss Georgia McFerron has returned here after a pleasant visit with relatives in Danville.—Mrs. Brack Graves went to Corbin Wednesday afternoon.—John Preston and family moved back to Cincinnati Thursday.—Lucian Hurd and wife, of Middleborough, are visiting Mrs. Nan McWhorter.—Mrs. Susie Mullins has a nice cottage on Main Street, for rent.

BROWN MEMORIAL SCHOOL. The school has not been purchased as was stated in last week's paper. It has simply come under the Home Board of the Presbyterian church. The pupils who were in attendance every session throughout the year are Chester Landrum and Myrtle Bryant. Those who passed in to higher classes are as follows: Above 90 per cent.—Myrtle Bryant, Mattie Baker, Bessie Sparks, Maud Guthrie, Lucy Baker, Daisy Fish, Miller McCoy, Tea Fish, Sadie Richards, Jamie Thompson, Jake Williams, Bernice Landrum. These averages are made from attendance, daily recitations, written lessons, and examinations. Those wishing to get exact standings in the different subjects may call for them, as they are now ready. Above 80 per cent.—Chester Landrum, Edgar Mullins, Willie McBe, Lela Lovell, Jack Smith, Louis Miller, Marguerite Lovell, Fred Baker. Above 70 per cent.—Robert Harry Miller, Louanna Whitehead, Lincoln Pennington, Floyd Miller, Zelma Jones, Rilla Hiatt.

ADJOINING COUNTIES The following changes have been announced in the salaries of Kentucky's postmasters: Increases—Pembroke, \$1,000 to \$1,100; Somerset, \$1,900 to \$2,000; Springfield, \$1,300 to \$1,400; Sturgis, \$1,100 to \$1,200; Versailles, \$1,700 to \$1,800; Winchester, \$2,100 to \$2,200. Decreases—Lancaster, \$1,400 to \$1,300; Shelbyville, \$2,100 to \$2,000; Williamsburg, \$1,500 to \$1,400.



ARCH B. FURNISH

Local Agent for the New England Mutual Life Ins. Co. who received a check yesterday from State Agents Thomas & Kaye for \$20, being the premium offered for the agent in Kentucky, who wrote the most business for the month of May. Mr. Furnish placed \$14,500 paid business.

CAPT. J. M. THOMAS DEAD.

The following copied from the Winchester Democrat, brings a sad message to the people of Rockcastle, especially the citizens of Livingston:

"Clark county and Kentucky, in the death of Capt. J. M. Thomas, which occurred at Ford Tuesday afternoon, loses one of its distinguished citizens and successful business men.

"He had long been a sufferer from kidney trouble, and an operation at Cincinnati over a year ago, gave but temporary relief. His vigorous constitution stayed disease, but for some weeks it was known that the end was near. The immediate cause of his death was uraemic poisoning.

"He was extensively engaged in the lumber trade, having large mills at Ford, Livingston, and Frankfort. He leaves an estate valued at \$800,000, embracing several thousand acres of fine mountain timber lands. Capt. Thomas was born near Flat Rock, Bourbon county, in 1833. He had a natural fondness for books, and received his educational training under Hugh B. Todd, of Mt. Sterling Academy. In 1853 he married Miss Annie E. Rogers, only daughter of Squire William Rogers, of Cambridge, and settled at Cambridge, where he lived as a farmer until the war, when he raised a company and entered the Confederate service under Gen. Humphrey Marshall and John S. Williams, until they were mustered out in 1862. He then went to Canada and engaged in the lumber business until 1866, when he returned to Paris and entered the lumber, merchandising, manufacturing and building trades, in which he accumulated a handsome fortune. Some years ago he closed out all his Paris interests, purchased and assumed charge of the famous Estill Springs, near Irvine, and built large lumber and planing mills at Ford, Livingston and Frankfort. He continued in active management of his business interests until a few months ago.

"Capt. Thomas was active in religious work. He had aided as much as any other man in religious and educational work in the mountains, his business having given him an insight into the conditions there and a consequent desire to improve them. He built several schools and contributed freely to many worthy causes. His advice has been largely sought in the perfection of plans. He was likewise active in politics until a few years ago, when he declined further preferment. He served two terms as State Senator from the Twenty-eighth district, composed of Clark, Bourbon and Montgomery counties. His home was in Paris, Bourbon county, but in recent years he had spent the bulk of his time in this county in order to give constant attention to his lumber business.

"His acquaintance extended over all sections of the State and by all he was held in high esteem. He was a man of splendid mentality and several articles on sociological lines, written by him, attracted much attention in the State. Senator Thomas was a close friend of William Goebel and aided the latter in his race for Governor, and later in the fight before the Legislature.

"He is survived by his wife and four children. They are Mrs. John Ireland, and Mrs. Thomas Moore, and Messrs. William R. and Robt. L. Thomas. The funeral services were held at Paris Saturday."

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GREAT Closing Out Sale!

Having decided to go West we now offer for sale our entire stock of Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, etc., at ACTUAL COST for CASH. Come one and all and take advantage of this great opportunity of supplying your wants at prices you will never have again.

We have everything that you will find in a first-class up-to-date store. So come and be convinced that what we say is true.

We have the Goods you want and are making the price to suit.

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ROCKCASTLE Real Estate Co. MT. VERNON, KY.

[All farms etc., advertised under this head, will be advertised and sold on a per cent, and if no sale is made, no cost for advertising.]

FARM No. 1.—This farm of 317 acres, located on Negro creek, near Brodhead, Ky., is one of the best farms in the county and will be sold at a bargain, the owner being unable to properly look after same, because of his health. The entire farm is under fence, 170 acres in cultivation, balance timbered, three houses on farm, good wells and springs, and plenty of good stock water. Also good orchard.

FARM No. 2.—Consists of 300 acres, which will be sold in two separate tracts if desired. This farm is located on the Mt. Vernon and Somerset road, near Level Green, Ky., and is located in the best farming section of the county. Well fenced, 115 acres in cultivation, balance timbered, well watered, one new two-story building and two tenant houses, convenient to school, church, store and postoffice and in one of the best communities in the county. A great bargain.

FARM No. 3.—A farm of 185 acres, located near Mareburg, and a very desirable farm, 140 acres under fence and in cultivation, balance, 40 acres timber. Good houses, never-failing spring and well, splendid orchard, close to school house, church and post office. A most desirable location and a splendid bargain. Any one wishing a small farm can buy a 70 acre tract off of this farm, but no buildings would be included on the 70 acre tract if a division is made.

FARM No. 4.—130 acres near Brodhead, well fenced, plenty good water, good orchard. Plenty timber to run farm, good residence and one tenant house. Can be bought for \$500.00. A great bargain.

FARM No. 5.—80 acres of land between Brush creek and Orlando. 20 acres in cultivation balance timbered, two houses and well watered. Will sell cheap.

TOWN PROPERTY.—A desirable piece of town property, located in Mt. Vernon. Two story house, four good lots and 8 acres of pasture, to go at a bargain. Property will be divided up and sold in any way to suit buyer. A real bargain for anyone desiring property in Mt. Vernon.

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Is in its torments, like dying of consumption, from the beginning to the very end, is a long torture, both to victim and friends. "When I had consumption in its first stage," writes Wm. Myers, of Cearfoss, Md., "after trying different medicines and a good doctor, in vain, I at last took Dr. King's New Discovery, which quickly and perfectly cured me." Prompt relief and sure cure for coughs, colds, sore throats, bronchitis, etc. Positively prevents pneumonia. Guaranteed and sold at all druggists. Price 50c and \$1.00 a bottle. Trial bottles free.

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Another shot has been aimed at Mr. Cleveland on account of his onslaught against women's clubs. The President of the New Jersey Federation stigmatizes him as "the greatest sage who lives in the shadow of a New Jersey university."—Boston Herald.

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stops irregularities, strengthens the urinary organs and builds up the worn-out tissues of the kidneys so they will perform their functions properly. Healthy kidneys strain out the impurities from the blood as it passes through them. Diseased kidneys do not, and the poisonous waste matter is carried by the circulation to every part of the body, causing dizziness, backache, stomach trouble, sluggish liver, irregular heart action, etc.

If you have any signs of Kidney or Bladder Trouble commence taking FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE at once, as it will cure a slight disorder in a few days and prevent a fatal malady. It is pleasant to take and benefits the whole system.

How to Find Out.

You can easily determine if your kidneys are out of order by setting aside for 24 hours a bottle of the urine passed upon arising. If upon examination it is cloudy or milky or has a brick-dust sediment or small particles float about in it, your kidneys are diseased, and FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE should be taken at once.

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G. B. Burhans of Carlisle Center, N. Y., writes: "About four years ago I wrote you stating that I had been entirely cured of a severe kidney trouble by taking less than two bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure. It entirely stopped the brick-dust sediment and pain and symptoms of kidney disease disappeared. I am glad to say that I have never had a return of any of those symptoms during the four years that have elapsed, and I am evidently cured to stay cured, and heartily recommend Foley's Kidney Cure to any one suffering from kidney or bladder trouble."

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HOT SPRING, N. C.

Mr. Editor: After a wearisome day and a good night's rest I feel very much refreshed this morning. "Praise the Lord." We are comfortably and very pleasantly located with Mr. and Mrs. Gorenflo and family who keep boarders for pay. They had a little family of 14 children—hospitable, typical Southerners, every thing home-like even the flies. Yes, they are here, the sorts we have in Kentucky, but not so numerous. I am located about 300 yards from the main spring and bath room, tho' I've not been to it, but I've drunk night and morning of the water which is hot and no doubt will help the stomach of any dyspeptic if he can put proper restraint on his appetite. This little town is built rather irregular on and near French broad river, some fine houses and contains 450 native population and transients in good quantities from the earth all over, even Japan has 3 representatives at one house. I am satisfied that a more orderly or quiet people than these would be hard to find, and the scenery and climate are perfect for the Lord made them. If therefore you want to "steal a while away from every cumbering care" and find that life is worth living I think you should come right here.

A few words for East Tennessee; We have heard the country always spoken of lightly and it is true the first two counties we passed are very rugged, much like Eastern Kentucky, tho' containing some good valleys and rich bottom lands, but Knox and Hamlin counties rival even our far famed Blue Grass region for rich and beautiful farms, and wheat and corn. Yesterday I saw more wheat and better wheat than ever before in one day and some corn fields as large as little farms, tho' blue grass and fine cattle and pretty sheep are scarce indeed. A few Jerseys are about all one sees in that line, and sheep, I never saw a sheep. They seem to be an agricultural people with good farms well cultivated but poorly grassed, stocked or fenced. I did not see many panels of good fence on all these fine farms as Hen Catron has, and orchards—well no they have them, only a few straggling trees now and then.

I suffered much on the first half of the trip but was able to drink a glass of sweet milk and the first cup of coffee for six months. Will write more next week.

BUCK VARNON.

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Indigestion Causes Catarrh of the Stomach.

For many years it has been supposed that Catarrh of the Stomach caused indigestion and dyspepsia, but the truth is exactly the opposite. Indigestion causes catarrh. Repeated attacks of indigestion inflame the mucous membranes lining the stomach and exposes the nerves of the stomach, thus causing the glands to secrete mucus instead of the juices of natural digestion. This is called Catarrh of the Stomach.

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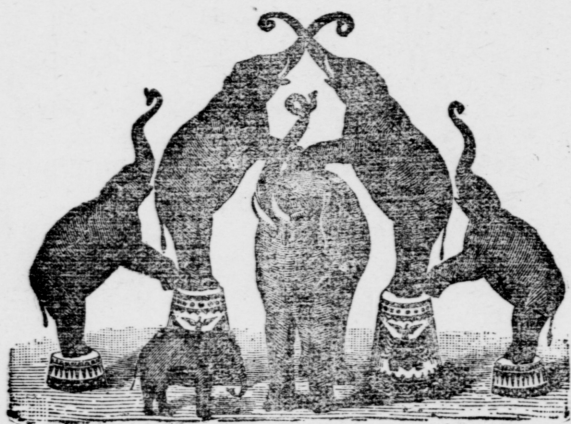
It is reported from St Petersburg official circles that the present war in Manchuria has cost Russia a thousand million dollars and nearly a half-million lives.

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Crab Orchard July 19—3 days.
Houstonville July 26—3 days.
Madisonville Aug. 1—5 days.
Danville, Aug. 2—3 days.
Harrodsburg Aug. 8—4 days.
Fern Creek Aug. 15—4 days.
Shepherdsville Aug. 15—4 days.
Lawrenceburg Aug. 15—4 days.
Vanceburg Aug. 16—4 days.
Guthrie Aug. 17—3 days.
Shelbyville Aug. 22—4 days.
Springfield Aug. 23—4 days.
Nicholasville Aug. 29—3 days.
Bardonia Aug. 30—4 days.
Somerset Aug. 29—4 days.
Florence Aug. 30—4 days.
Elizabethtown Sept. 5—3 days.
Glasgow Sept. 13—4 days.
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HARGIS TRIAL.

(Winchester Democrat)

Much sensational matter has been sent to the daily papers the past week regarding the Hargis and French trials at Jackson. The hearing ended Saturday with the discharge of the defendants.

County Attorney Blanton threw up the case Saturday by telling Magistrate Allen to take his court and go to the devil with it. Blanton left court and later stated that the reason he did so was to prevent bloodshed, as he learned Mose Feltner, who was armed, would attempt to harm the defendants. The court refused to allow Mr. Blanton to employ a special stenographer, and B. F. French is said to have told the official stenographer what testimony to record. County Attorney Blanton is said to have told Sheriff McCord that he feared Mose Feltner would have been killed if he had attempted to testify.

When court convened, Mrs. Marcum stated to the court that she was without counsel and had been worried by her two-boys' ordeal on the witness stand, and she would like to have the trial adjourned until Monday.

French responded that he was willing to have the trial adjourned to suit Mrs. Marcum's convenience, but he wanted to know if she would be ready Monday with an attorney and witnesses to proceed.

She answered that she had tried to dismiss the prosecution and the defendants insisted on trial and that she would therefore produce her witnesses if the court would give them protection. The court declared that protection would be given all.

Mrs. Marcum then made this sensational statement: "I will stay here if requested all summer and answer any question asked, but I want protection during the trial. If they want to prosecute me for perjury let them wait till their trial is over."

At this juncture Alex. Hargis sprang to his feet and said: "I wish to say to this lady and to this court that I neither desire nor intend to injure her or any other witness by prosecution or otherwise. She has had me arrested on this charge and I am here to meet it. I will meet her and her witnesses today, Monday or any time she may choose, but if she does not intend to prosecute me she ought to say so now. I feel that it is due the public that they hear the facts as they are and put an end to this newspaper reporters' sending out reports maligning my character and injuring the fair name of my wife and children. I don't want Mrs. Marcum to make any statement on the witness stand unless she does so willingly, nor do I want any of her witnesses brought here under attachment unless it is done at her request. It matters not what the decision of this court may be, good citizens of this county are entitled to hear the proof and judge for themselves whether I am guilty."

County Attorney Blanton announced that he had no further testimony to offer. The defendants then took the stand and each testified that he had nothing to do with

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the killing of Marcum. They were not cross-examined and no other testimony was offered by either party.

Magistrate Allen announced that the testimony was insufficient to hold defendants and made an order releasing them from custody.

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